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Title : APPARATUS FOR, AND METHOD OF,  
RECEIVING SATELLITE TELEVISION  
SIGNALS IN AN APARTMENT  
BUILDING AND PROVIDING  
TELEVISION IMAGES IN THE  
RECEIVERS IN SUCH BUILDING  
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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Prior to the examination of the above-identified patent application, please enter the following amendment:

In the Specification:

Page 1, line 1, insert -- CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This is a continuation of copending Patent Application No. 09/056,535, filed April 8, 1998, the contents of which are incorporated herein by reference as though fully set forth in full --.

Respectfully submitted,

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